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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
GUIDO-JAN SCHMITZ, ET AL. : EXAMINER: JACOBSON, M. L.
SERIAL NO: 10/588,487 :
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FOR: MULTI-LAYER COMPOSITE :
COMPRISING AN EVOH LAYER AND A
PROTECTIVE LAYER

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 2, 2009, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Discussion of the Amendment begins on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.